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1. The large thermo-electric power station known as "the Republic" situated close to the village of Moshino, in the Pernik district, is to be erected and all the material supplied by Czechoslovak nationalized factories.
2. The fuel to be used will be run-of-mine coal from the Pernik coal mines. Special machines to wash the coal are to be set up near the mines, capable of dealing with 5,000 tons a day.
3. The power station is to be completed in 1951; the machines for coal washing in 1952.
4. The following electrical enterprises in Bulgaria are completely self-sufficient and independent in so far as their finances are concerned:
 - a. "Energoedinoni" (or "Union of the Energies")
 - b. "Elprom" (The Electricity Industry), in the Sofia district.
 - c. "Elektrostroy" (Electrical Constructions) at Sofia - an organization to deal with the mounting and repair of power stations.
5. Professor Karadjov, electrical engineer, has been appointed to supervise all power stations.

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